

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING  
WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK--THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

V. S. No. 1

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll  
Maryland Tuberculosis Sanatorium  
(Colored Branch)

# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 74

Village or City Henryton (No. \_\_\_\_\_) St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Mattie Anderson

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Colored 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Aug., 17, 1914, 1 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 16 yrs. 8 mos. 22 ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?  
If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housewife  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Tennessee

10 NAME OF FATHER Frances Storey

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Tennessee

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Grace ? Unknown

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Indiana

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Shirley C. White

(Address) Henryton

15 Filed 5/9/31 192 Shirley C. White Deputy Local Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May, 9, 1931, 192 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Jan., 16, 1931 to May, 9, 1931, 192 \_\_\_\_\_

that I last saw her alive on May, 9, 1931, 192 \_\_\_\_\_

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 3.30P m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Pulmonary Tuberculosis

(Duration) 2 yrs. 1 mos. 0 ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed) Shirley C. White M. D.  
5/9/31 192 (Address) Henryton, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 0 yrs. 3 mos. 23 ds. In the State 4 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? ????????

Former or usual residence Sykesville, Carroll Co., Md

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Kingston, N. Y. DATE OF BURIAL May 12, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Wheeler ADDRESS Sykesville, Md

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Carroll Registration Dist. No. 26  
 Village or City Finksburg No. 46 St. ✓ Ward ✓  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 83 yrs. mos. ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? 83 yrs. mos. ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Leo Barnes  
 (a) Residence: No. ✓ St. ✓ Ward. ✓  
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

### PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Widower</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of <u>Nettie M. Fryzell</u> (or) WIFE of <u>Andrew</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>1847-6-13</u>		
7. AGE Years <u>83</u> Months <u>11</u> Days <u>3</u>	If LESS than 1 day, <u>✓</u> hrs. or <u>✓</u> min.	
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>Farmer (retired)</u>		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. <u>✓</u>		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) <u>✓</u>		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation <u>✓</u>

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) <u>Maryland</u> (State or country)
13. NAME <u>Moses Barnes</u>
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) <u>Maryland</u> (State or country)
15. MAIDEN NAME <u>Resiah Murray</u>
16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) <u>Maryland</u> (State or country)
17. INFORMANT <u>Mrs. Viola Spier</u> (Address) <u>Finksburg, Md.</u>
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place <u>Providence Church</u> <u>May 18, 1931</u>
19. UNDERTAKER <u>C. M. Mack</u> (Address) <u>Winfield, Md.</u>
20. FILED <u>✓ 17 3/4 Woodbury</u> Registrar.

### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH <u>May</u> = <u>16</u> = 193 <u>1</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)
22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from <u>Apr 15</u> , 19 <u>31</u> to <u>May 16</u> , 19 <u>31</u> I last saw him alive on <u>May 15</u> , 19 <u>31</u> ; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, <u>4:45 P.M.</u> The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows: <u>Coronary Thrombosis</u> Other Contributory Causes of importance: Name of operation <u>✓</u> Date of <u>✓</u> What test confirmed diagnosis? <u>✓</u> Was there an autopsy? <u>✓</u>
23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following: Accident, suicide, or homicide? <u>no</u> Date of injury <u>✓</u> , 19 <u>✓</u> Where did injury occur? <u>✓</u> (Specify city or town, county and State) Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE. <u>✓</u>
Manner of injury <u>✓</u> Nature of Injury <u>✓</u>
24. Was disease or Injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? If so, specify (Signed) <u>St. M. Beale</u> M. D. (Address) <u>Providence Church</u>

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 4, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 70

Village or City Mr. Danetown.

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Mrs. Laura S. Becker

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX M 4 COLOR OR RACE W 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH April 2, 1873  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 58 yrs. 1 mos. 10 ds. or min.?  
If LESS than 1 day. hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housework  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Carroll Co.,

10 NAME OF FATHER Emanuel Yeiser

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Ind

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Marie Mayers

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Ind

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mr. Henry M. Becker,  
(Address) Danetown, Ind.

15 Filed May 13, 1921 W. B. West Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 12, 1921  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Feb. 1, 1921, to May 11, 1921,

that I last saw him alive on May 11, 1921,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
Cerebral hemorrhage

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
Contributory Chronic Interstitial Nephritis  
Secondary

(Signed) C. B. Bissinger M. D.  
5/13, 1921. (Address) W. B. West

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL  
Int Olivet Hanover Pa May 15, 1921.

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS  
Edmundson Danetown, Ind

Dr. Billingsley

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll

Village or City Sykesville (No. Springfield State Hospital)  
St.        Ward        (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)  
2 FULL NAME Adam Beisger Jr.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) single

6 DATE OF BIRTH Jan 5, 1900  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 31 yrs. 4 mos. 25 ds. or min.?  
If LESS than 1 day.....hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Labner  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) Farming

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Hungary

10 NAME OF FATHER Adam Beisger

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Hungary

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Margaret Moutz

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Hungary

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) W. M. Malters  
(Address) Springfield State Hospital

15 Filed May 30 1923 Harry Green  
Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 30, 1923  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from May 12, 1923 to May 30, 1923, that I last saw him alive on May 30, 1923, at 8:00 p. m.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
ependent (acute)  
with Epileptic convulsions following operation

(Duration) 3 yrs. 3 mos. 3 ds.  
Contributory Secondary Epilepsy Grand Mal  
(Duration) 25 yrs. 3 mos. 3 ds.

(Signed) John L. Wilkerson M. D.  
May 30 1923 (Address) S. S. H. S. Sykesville, Md.

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 6 yrs. 0 mos. 18 ds. In the State 14 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence Farmville, Anne Arundel Co., Md.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Springfield Cem. DATE OF BURIAL May 31

20 UNDERTAKER New & Son Inc. ADDRESS Sykesville

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollVillage or City Near Westminster (No. \_\_\_\_\_)2 FULL NAME Ida V. C. BellSTATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 26

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Widow  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Jan 31 1860  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 71 yrs. 4 mos. — ds. or — min.?  
If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work House wife  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Levir C. Harbaugh

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Minerva Miller

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Frank Bell  
(Address) Westminster Md

15 Filed 6/1 1931 H Woodward  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 31 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Mar 2 1931 to May 31 1931.

that I last saw her alive on May 31 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 4 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
Cerebral Hemorrhage

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. 2 ds.

Contributory Secondary none

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) J. H. Billingsley M. D.  
6/1 1931 (Address) Westminster

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Kniders 6/3 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

H. B. Bankard & Son Westminster Md



# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*, *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll

Village or City Sykesville (No. Springfield State Hosp.)

2 FULL NAME Catherine Biehn

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 74

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH August 23<sup>rd</sup> 1885  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 45 yrs. 8 mos. 8 ds. If LESS than 1 day hrs. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housewife  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER Philip Friedel

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Dorothy Meyers

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Springfield State Hosp. (Nurse)  
(Address) Sykesville, Md.

15 Filed May 2 1923 C. H. Myers Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 1<sup>st</sup> 1923  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from March 27 1921 to May 1<sup>st</sup> 1923

that I last saw her alive on May 1<sup>st</sup> 1923

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9:15 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Status Epilepticus

(Duration) 48 hrs.  
Contributory Epilepsy in a  
Secondary mental def.  
(Duration) 29 yrs. (?) mos. ds.

(Signed) John L. Withers M. D.  
May 2 1923 (Address) 55 W. 4th St. Baltimore

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 20 yrs. 1 mos. 4 ds. In the 45 yrs. 8 mos. 8 ds. State

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Unknown

Former or usual residence Baltimore - Md.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Cathedral Ave. DATE OF BURIAL May 4, 1923

20 UNDERTAKER Thos. Cook ADDRESS Balto. Md.

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollVillage or City GamblerRegistration Dist. No. 76

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Francis N. Bowers

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Male

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

White

## 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

married

## 5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of

(or) WIFE of

Margaret A. Bowers

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

1854-3-21

## 7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, ..... hrs.  
or ..... min.77117

## 8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Farmer (retired)

## 9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

## 10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

## 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Maryland

## 13. NAME

Comad Bowers

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Germany

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Sarah P. Wagers

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Maryland

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Mrs. Margaret A. Bowers,  
P. O. Box 1, Dykesville, Md.

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

St. John's Cemetery, May 11, 1931

## 19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

C. M. Webb,  
Hawfield, Md.

## 20. FILED

19

59 31 Woodward

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

May= 8 =

1931

(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

about May 1, 1925, to May 8, 1931I last saw him alive on May 4, 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 7:15 P.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Cerebral hemorrhage  
several strokes during  
past 12 mo.

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Arterio sclerosis

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

W. S. Buehler

M. D.

Wheaton, Md.

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U. S. No. 1

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# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

1915

1921

July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

May 1, 1923

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

1 week ago

1 week ago

3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



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<sup>1</sup> PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll.

Village or City Clear Ridge (No. \_\_\_\_\_, St.; \_\_\_\_\_ Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

<sup>2</sup> FULL NAME Unnamed Infant. Bowers

Registration Dist. No. 81

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

<sup>3</sup> SEX Male. <sup>4</sup> COLOR OR RACE White. <sup>5</sup> SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Single.  
(Write the word)

<sup>6</sup> DATE OF BIRTH May 15, 1931.  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

<sup>7</sup> AGE \_\_\_\_\_ If LESS than 2 hrs.  
\_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min. ?

<sup>8</sup> OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work None.  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>9</sup> BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland.

**PARENTS**  
<sup>10</sup> NAME OF FATHER James P. Bowers,  
<sup>11</sup> BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland.  
<sup>12</sup> MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Louise A. Poulson,  
<sup>13</sup> BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Maryland.

<sup>14</sup> THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) James Pearson Bowers

(Address) Linnwood Md

<sup>15</sup> Filed May 16 1931 Leslie J. Blythe  
Registrar

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

<sup>16</sup> DATE OF DEATH May 16, 1931.  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

<sup>17</sup> I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from \_\_\_\_\_, 192\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 192\_\_\_\_,  
that I last saw him alive on May 15, 1931,  
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 12:30 A.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Premature Birth.

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) H. F. Baer, M. D.  
May 16, 1931. (Address) Union Bridge, Md.

State the Disease causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

<sup>18</sup> LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State, \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

<sup>19</sup> PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL \_\_\_\_\_

Vike Creek (Buried) May 16, 1931.

<sup>20</sup> UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

M. L. Creager & Son Thurmont Md

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1 PLACE OF DEATH			05688		STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
County <u>Carroll</u>			(92-a)		Registration Dist. No. <u>74</u>	
Village or City <u>Johnsville</u> (No. _____)			St. _____		Ward) _____ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)	
2 FULL NAME <u>Isaiah Brown</u>						
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS						
3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED <u>Married</u> (Write the word)				
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>Oct 21</u> , 1 <u>860</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)						
7 AGE <u>70</u> yrs. <u>8</u> mos. <u>7</u> ds. or LESS than 1 day ____ hrs. ____ min.?						
OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>Lawyer</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) _____						
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Carroll Co., Md.</u>						
PARENTS	10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Lloyd Brown</u>					
	11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Carroll Co.</u>					
	12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Mary Wilcox</u>					
	13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) <u>Howard Co.</u>					
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>Rachel Brown</u> (Address) <u>Sykesville, Md.</u>						
15 Filed <u>May 30</u> 19 <u>31</u> <u>Chas. H. H. H.</u> Registrar						
MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH						
16 DATE OF DEATH <u>May 28</u> , 19 <u>31</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)						
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from <u>May 28</u> , 19 <u>31</u> , to <u>May 28</u> , 19 <u>31</u> , that I last saw him alive on <u>May 28</u> , 19 <u>31</u> , and that death occurred on the date stated above, at <u>10</u> m. The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows: <u>Sudden due to apoplexy</u>						
Contributory Secondary <u>Chronic valvular heart dis.</u> (Duration) ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.						
(Signed) <u>Daniel B. Sprague</u> M. D. <u>May 30</u> , 19 <u>31</u> (Address) _____						
* State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.						
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents) At place of death ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds. In the State ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds. Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____ Former or usual residence _____						
19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Springfield Cem.</u>						DATE OF BURIAL <u>May 31</u> , 19 <u>31</u>
20 UNDERTAKER <u>Heuvelon Bros. Sykesville</u>						ADDRESS _____

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
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**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the first cause of death, the primary affection with respect to third causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Carol C.

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 75

Village or City

W. Lumboro

(No.

St.

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

David H. Burke

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Male

4 COLOR OR RACE

White

5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH

June 19 1857

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE

72 yrs.

11 mos.

9 ds.

If LESS than 1 day.....hrs. or.....min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

Farmer

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER

Chas. Burke

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Elizabeth Hartley

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Samuel S. Fuhrman

(Address)

Brookbeck, D.C.

15

Filed May 29 1931

W. H. S. Deussen

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

May 28 1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 5-25-1931 to 5-28-1931

that I last saw him alive on 5-28-1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 2:30 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Cerebral Embolism

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds. 3 ds.

Contributory Secondary

(Signed)

John S. Ziegler

M. D.

5-29-1931 (Address) 2200 W. 1st St.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Black Rock, Co

DATE OF BURIAL

5/31 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

W. L. Lippert &amp; Son

ADDRESS

Black Rock, Co



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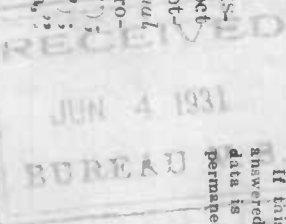
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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll

Maryland Tuberculosis Sanatorium  
Colored Branch

Village or City Henryton, Md. (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 74

2 FULL NAME Flora Burley

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Colored 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Jan., 3, 1899  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 32 yrs. 4 mos. 23 ds. or min.?  
If LESS than 1 day, hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housewife  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER John Woods

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Erinstine Green

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

Henryton, Md.

15 Filed 5/26/31 192 Deputy Local Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 26, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 3/23/31 192 to 5/26/31 192

that I last saw her alive on May 26, 1931 192

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 2.00 AM

THE CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
Pulmonary Tuberculosis

(Duration) 8 yrs. 2 mos. 3 ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed) Thos. O'Neil M. D.  
5/26/31 192 (Address) Henryton, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 0 yrs. 2 mos. 3 ds. In the 32 yrs. 4 mos. 23 ds.

Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? Baltimore, Md.

Former or usual residence 1148 Vincent St. Balto., Md

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Balto. Md.

May 29 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Samuel W. Chase & Son 638 N. 11th

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollVillage or City Sykesville

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

Registration Dist. No.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

915East Biddle

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Female

4. COLOR OR RACE

White5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE ofUnknown

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, end year)

Oct. 15, 1864

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, ----- hrs.

or ----- min.

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OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.None9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Ireland

FATHER

13. NAME

William C. McDermott

MOTHER

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Ireland

15. MAIDEN NAME

Mary Baker

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Ireland

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Hospital Records,  
Sykesville, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Texas Md

Date

May 27, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Rita Weidefeld  
Baltimore Md.

20. FILED

May 27, 1931Harry Wren

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

May 26

1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Feb. 11, 1930, to May 26, 1931I last saw him alive on May 26, 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 3:40 P.M.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Cerebral Arteriosclerosis

Date of onset

1927

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Senile Dementia1930

Name of operation

Date of

What last confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of Injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred IN INDUSTRY, IN HOME, or IN PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or Injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

May 27, 1931

M. D.

(Address) Sykesville, Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write *housewife* in answer to Question 8 and *own home* in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as *servant*—*private family*, *cook*—*hotel*, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write *none*.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as “employee,” “worker,” “operative,” etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as *spinner*, *weaver*, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as “store,” “factory,” “mill,” etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as *grocery store*, *soap factory*, *cotton mill*, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as *civil engineer*, *mechanical engineer*, *mining engineer*, *stationary engineer*, etc. Avoid the term “laborer” when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word “mechanic,” but give the exact occupation, as *carpenter*, *painter*, *machinist*, etc. Distinguish carefully between *retail merchants* and *wholesale merchants*. A person who sells goods should be called a *salesman* and not a *clerk*.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., *heart failure*, *asphyxia*, *asthenia*, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Carroll

Village or City Sykesville

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 3 yrs. 8 mos. 16 ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Registration Dist. No. 74

No. Springfield State Hospital St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. 915 G. Piddle

(Usual place of abode)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

Baltimore - Md.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>married</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of _____ (or) WIFE of <u>Catherine (Maiden name unknown)</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>May 11 - 1854</u>		
7. AGE <u>77</u>	Years _____ Months _____ Days <u>15</u>	If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>Packer</u>		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. <u>Penna. R. R. Co.</u>		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) <u>Unknown</u>		
11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation <u>Unknown</u>		

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Harford Co. Md.  
(State or country)

13. NAME William Carr

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) unknown  
(State or country) Md.

15. MAIDEN NAME Mary Bayless

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) unknown  
(State or country) Md.

17. INFORMANT Springfield State Hospital (Records)  
(Address) Sykesville, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
Place Texas Md. Date May 28, 31

19. UNDERTAKER Rita Weidefeld  
(Address) Baltimore Md.

20. FILED May 27, 31 Harry Steel

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

### 21. DATE OF DEATH

May 26<sup>th</sup> 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1924 to May 26<sup>th</sup>, 1931

I last saw him alive on May 25<sup>th</sup>, 1931; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 12.15 A. M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Cerebral Arteriosclerosis 1928

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Chronic Interstitial Nephritis 1928

Name of operation None Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? Physical & Laboratory Was there an autopsy? No

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? No Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) John Norfolk Morris M. D.

(Address) S. S. M. Sykesville, Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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## Example II

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Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
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Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollVillage or City SykesvilleLength of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. 5 mos. 14 ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.Registration Dist. No. 74No. Springfield State Hospital St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

## 2. FULL NAME

Robert Clarke(a) Residence: No. Sykesville Md. St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward. \_\_\_\_\_

(Usual place of abode)

Carroll Co. Md.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Male

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

White5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)Widowed5e. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND or  
(or) WIFE ofJohanna Clarke6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) June 28<sup>th</sup> 1857

## 7. AGE

Years

73

Months

10

Days

9If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.Farmer and Milk Wagon  
Driver9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)Dec. 192511. Total time (years) 47  
spent in this  
occupation \_\_\_\_\_ years.

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

Sykesville

(State or country)

Md.

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

Robert R. Clarke

## MOTHER

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

Scotland

(State or country)

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Eliza Morell

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

Ireland

(State or country)

## 17. INFORMANT

Springfield State Hospital

(Address)

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Springfield Ave. Date May 5, 1931

## 19. UNDERTAKER

Wells & Son Inc.  
Sykesville Md.

(Address)

## 20. FILED

May 4, 1931 Harry Mee

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

May3<sup>rd</sup>1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from

November 17<sup>th</sup>, 1930, to May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1931I last saw him alive on May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 1:15 P. m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance

were as follows:

Cerebral Arteriosclerosis

Date of onset

Dec1925

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Chronic Interstitial Nephritis and  
Myocardial RegenerationDec1925

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis? Physical Laboratory Was there an autopsy? No

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of Injury \_\_\_\_\_

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

John Norfolk Morris

M. D.

(Address) (S.F.N.) Sykesville, Md.

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County Carroll

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 80

Village or City Medford (No. ....)

St. .... Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Anna E. Cleaver

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH April 26, 1862  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 69 yrs. 0 mos. 29 ds. or min.  
If LESS than 1 day hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housewife  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Carroll Co Md

10 NAME OF FATHER John S Harris

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Carroll Co Md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Catherine Bouboltz

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Carroll Co Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address) Medford Md

15 Filed May 21 1921 3:00 PM Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 24, 1921  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from May 18, 1921 to May 24, 1921, that I last saw her alive on May 24, 1921, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 10 A. M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Carcinoma of the Colon

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
Contributory acute Cardiac Dilatation  
Secondary

(Signed) Jas. J. Marsh M. D.  
May 24, 1921 (Address) New Windsor Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL All Saints Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL May 27, 1921

20 UNDERTAKER W. H. Houghton & Sons ADDRESS New Windsor Md



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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County BarroreSTATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 74Village or City Sylkesville (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Louise Corporal

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE col - 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED single  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Nov. - 13 =, 1917  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

13 yrs. 5 mos. 23 ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work at home

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)Maryland.

10 NAME OF FATHER

Andrew Corporal.11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)Maryland.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Geneva Cassaway.13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or Country)Maryland.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mrs Andrew Corporal.(Address) Sylkesville, Md.15 Filed May 7 1931 Chammy Meier  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

May (Month) 6<sup>th</sup> (Day) 1931 (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from April 30 1931 to April 30 1931, that I last saw her alive on April 30 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 1145 A.M. ✓

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Pneumonia(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. 7 ds.Contributory  
Secondaryappendicitis(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. 6 mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) W. Frank Lucas M. D.  
May 6 1931 (Address) Sylkesville, Md.

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In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

White Rock Cemetery, May 8 =, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

B. M. Nantz, Winfield, Md.

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County Carroll

Registration Dist. No. 83

Village or ~~city~~ Woodbine, P.F.D.

No. \_\_\_\_\_

St. \_\_\_\_\_

Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 10 yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Elsie E. Leostley

(a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_

St. \_\_\_\_\_

Ward. \_\_\_\_\_

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>Black</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Single</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of _____		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>1910-7-16</u>		
7. AGE <u>20</u>	Years <u>9</u>	Months <u>22</u>
		Days <u>22</u>
		If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
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9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

### 21. DATE OF DEATH

May = 8 = 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 12:31 to May 8, 1931

I last saw h. er alive on May 2, 1931, death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 7:30 a.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Pulmonary Interference

Date of onset

unknown

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? ✓

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(Signed) M. H. Masterson M. D.

(Address) Essex Road

OCCUPATION	12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) <u>Leopold, Pa.</u> (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
	13. NAME <u>E. A. Leostley</u>
FATHER	14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) <u>Maryland</u> (State or country)
	15. MAIDEN NAME <u>Eleanor B. Dotson</u>
MOTHER	16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) <u>Maryland</u> (State or country)
	17. INFORMANT <u>E. A. Leostley</u> (Address) <u>P.F.D. Woodbine, Md.</u>
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place <u>Funerary Society</u> Date <u>May 10</u> , 19 <u>31</u>	
19. UNDERTAKER <u>E. M. Hall</u> (Address) <u>Union Ind.</u>	
20. FILED <u>May 9</u> , 19 <u>31</u> <u>E. M. Hewitt</u> <u>Deputy Registrar</u>	

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:	
Gallstones	May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:	
Gastroenteritis	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

05697

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Carroll Registration Dist. No. 83  
 Village or City Woodbine, P.F.D. No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 8 yrs. 7 mos. 6 ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Vernice G. Costley  
 (a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>Col.</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Single</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of <u>[Signature]</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>1922-10-13</u>		
7. AGE Years <u>8</u> Months <u>7</u> Days <u>6</u> If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ ruin.	8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>at home</u>	
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.		10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)
11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation		

OCCUPATION

FATHER

MOTHER

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
13. NAME <u>Roger Brown</u>
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
15. MAIDEN NAME <u>Elizabeth Costley</u>
16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>New Jersey</u>
17. INFORMANT (Address) <u>Mrs. Annie Costley, Woodbine, Md.</u>
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place <u>White Rock Cemetery</u> Date <u>May 21, 1931</u>
19. UNDERTAKER (Address) <u>C. M. Naltz, Springfield, Md.</u>
20. FILED <u>May 20 1931</u> <u>Qua M. Hewitt</u> <u>[Signature]</u> Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

May = 19 = 1931  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

19 \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

I last saw him \_\_\_\_\_ alive on \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 9:20 P.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance were as follows:

Infantile Paralysis and  
Tuberculosis

Date of onset

Infantile paralysis during first year of  
life, now eight or nine years ago.

Other Contributory Causes of Importance: Cut R.

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)  
 Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed) Geo. Benson Coroner  
 (Address) Westminster, Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

2 FULL NAME

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

7 AGE

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

10 NAME OF FATHER

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

15

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
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Registration Dist. No.

St.

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended the deceased from

that I last saw her alive on

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed)

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds.

In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: (*typhoid fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebro-spinal meningitis"; *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"; *typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"; *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

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S. A. DEATH

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll

Village or City Ridgelyville (No. 168)

2 FULL NAME Millard Davis

05699 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 82

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

# PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX M 4 COLOR OR RACE W 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH Oct. 22, 1893 May 30, 1893  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 37 38 yrs. 6 mos. 28 ds. or min.?  
If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Painter  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Ind -

10 NAME OF FATHER Richard Davis

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Ind -

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Ellen French

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Ind

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Raymond Garrison  
(Address) 3431 Reservoir Pl, Balt

15 Filed June 1, 1931 W. D. Snyder  
Registrar

# MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 30, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 192 \_\_\_\_ to 192 \_\_\_\_

that I last saw him live on May 30, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9:15 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Superficial wound of abdomen  
Suicide -  
Wound located just below  
heart (Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory Secondary Chronic myocardial infarction ds.

(Signed) Arthur Corcoran  
May 31, 1931 (Address) MD

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

St Marys Church & Burial June 3, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS 3418 Chate

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 16 W. Saratoga St., Balt., requesting V. S. 3418 Chate



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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll

Village or City Berrett (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

2 FULL NAME Nellie Dorsey

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED widowed  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH April 2, 1871  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 60 yrs. 1 mos. 6 ds. or LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) Housewife

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Howard Co

10 NAME OF FATHER Joshua D. Warfield

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Howard Co Md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Elizabeth Colk

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Carroll Co Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Nathan Dorsey

(Address) Woodbine, Md.

15 Filed May 9 1931 E. M. Hewitt  
Registrar

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 83

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 8, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from March 31 to May 7, 1931

that I last saw her alive on May 7, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 4:30 A m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
Failure of Nutrition And of Cardio-respiratory action

Contributor (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.  
Secondary Hypertrophic Bronchocele Cerebral

Caused by, Portable Cerebral Hemorrhage yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Samuel B. Sprecher M. D.  
May 8 1931 (Address) Lyonsville

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Springfield Cemetery May 10, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

Deer Son Sykesville

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc., of . . . . .* (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Malaria; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), *29 ds.; Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Assthena," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Trauma," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL *septicæmia, Puerperal peritonitis, etc.* State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

S. No. 1

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

Registration Dist. No.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)6a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, end year)

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month end  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

13. NAME

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)17. INFORMANT  
(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

19. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)

20. FILED

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

May

19

1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from  
Dec 4, 1929, to May 19, 1931.I last saw him alive on May 18, 1931; death is said  
to have occurred on the date stated above, at 6 a.m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Date of onset

Cerebral Arteriosclerosis 1926

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following: no

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or Injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no

if so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed)

Mary M. Rees M. O.

(Address) Springfield, Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write *housewife* in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as *servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc.* For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as “employee,” “worker,” “operative,” etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as *spinner, weaver, etc.*

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as “store,” “factory,” “mill,” etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as *grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.*

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as *civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc.* Avoid the term “laborer” when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word “mechanic,” but give the exact occupation, as *carpenter, painter, machinist, etc.* Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

65702

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Carroll Registration Dist. No. 78  
 Village or City Coons Corner, R.F.D. New Windsor, Md. St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Usual place of abode)  
 If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Widow</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND or (or) WIFE OF <u>widow of Geo. F. Elgin</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>1855-10-17</u>		
7. AGE <u>75</u>	Years <u>7</u>	Months <u>1</u>
Days <u>1</u>		If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>at home</u>		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
13. NAME <u>Leonard Belt</u>
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
15. MAIDEN NAME <u>Sarah Gilbert</u>
16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
17. INFORMANT <u>Mrs. Chas. Spoonell</u> (Address) <u>R.F.D. New Windsor, Md.</u>
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place <u>Bethany Cemetery</u> Date <u>May 20, 1931</u>
19. UNDERTAKER <u>C. M. Mott</u> (Address) <u>Winfield, Md.</u>
20. FILED <u>May 19, 1931</u> <u>E. M. Farver</u> Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

### 21. DATE OF DEATH

May = 18 = 1931  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)  
 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from  
July 1st, 1931, to May 18, 1931  
 I last saw him alive on May 5th, 1931; death is said  
 to have occurred on the date stated above, at 2:30 P.  
 The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
 were as follows: Chronic Valvular Heart  
disease

### Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_  
 What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_  
 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:  
 Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
 Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Specify city or town, county and State)  
 Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.  
 Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_  
 Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_  
 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no  
 If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Signed) C. L. Dittig M. D.  
 (Address) New Windsor, Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

05703

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Barroll

Village or City

Near Biplers Church

No.

Registration Dist. No. 75

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Alice E. Feeser

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Female

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

White

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

Abraham M. Feeser

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Nov. 5<sup>th</sup> 1864

## 7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

66

6

9

1 day, . . . hrs.  
or . . . min.

## OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

House Wife

9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Maryland

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

Joseph Lyman

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Unknown

## MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Barline Baum

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Maryland

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

A. M. Feeser  
Westminster, Md.

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Biplers

Date

May 17, 1931

## 19. UNOERTAKER

(Address)

Jacob Wink's Saw  
Manchester, Md.

## 20. FILED

May 16, 1931

Mrs. W. P. S. Denner

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

May

14

1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

May 9

1931

to May 14

1931

I last saw her alive on

May 14

1931

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 6 P. M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Paralysis

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? . . . . . Date of injury . . . . . 19 . . . . .

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

R. F. Keller

M. D.

(Address)

Manchester

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

No. 1

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD. Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

N. B.--Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY, PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollVillage or City Near New Windsor (No. 167)STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 80

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Jesse A Flickenger

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Widow</u>
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6 DATE OF BIRTH July 19, 1856  
(Month) (Day) (Year)7 AGE 74 yrs. 7 mos. 4 ds. or min.?  
If LESS than 1 day... hrs.8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Retired Carpenter  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland10 NAME OF FATHER Henry Flickenger11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Julia Brauner13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Hollie Fritz  
(Address) New Windsor Md15 Filed May 5 1931 Wm. H. Bankard Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 3, 1931, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 192 to 192, 1931.that I last saw him alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 1931,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

From self-inflicted gun shot wound in left chest

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) Wm. H. Bankard, Acting Coroner  
May 11, 1931 (Address) New Windsor Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Greenwood Chapel May 5, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

W H Bankard & Son Wheatminster Md



# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

**Statement of Occupation**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Composer, Architect, Locomotive engineer, Civil engineer, Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*, (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework*, or *At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school*, or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus; *Farmer (retired 6 yrs)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of ..... (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Hæmiplegia," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Heavily wound of head—Homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. All the data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.

JUN 8 1924

BUREAU V.S.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING  
WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK--THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

N. B.--Every item of information should be carefully supplied. ACE should be stated EXACTLY, PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Carroll

Village or City

Sykesville

(No.)

2 FULL NAME

Catherine Flynn

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

74

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Widowed

6 DATE OF BIRTH March 22, 1849 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 82 yrs. 2 mos. 2 ds. If LESS than 1 day hrs. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housework (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Ireland

10 NAME OF FATHER John Hogan

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER Ireland (State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Alice Humphrey

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Ireland (State or Country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

Records of Springfield State Hosp (Informant) Sykesville, Md. (Address)

15 Filed May 24 1931 C. N. Heer Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 24, 1931 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Oct 6, 1929, to May 24, 1931.

that I last saw her alive on May 13, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 3:15 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

General Arteriosclerosis  
Chronic Myocarditis  
Epilepsy (Duration) 46 yrs. mos. ds.  
Contributory Secondary Fracture of Right hip. Fell in Convulsion (Duration) yrs. mos. 14 ds.

(Signed) John L. Witherspoon, M. D. May 24, 1931 (Address) S. E. Ward, Sykesville, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 5 yrs. 7 mos. 18 ds. In the State 62 (3) yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence Baltimore

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL London, UK 5-27, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS Bernard E. Harbo 1000 S. Pica St.

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History & date of birth given by patient - may be incorrect

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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V. S. No. 1

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1 PLACE OF DEATH			STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
County <u>Carroll</u>			Registration Dist. No. <u>70</u>	
Village or City <u>Taneytown</u> (No. _____)			St. _____	Ward _____ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)
2 FULL NAME <u>Charles A. Foreman</u>				
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS				
3 SEX <u>M</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED <u>Married</u> (Write the word)		
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>June 16, 1868</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)				
7 AGE <u>62 yrs. 10 mos. 16 ds.</u> or <u>1 day</u> hrs. min.?				
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>Retired farmer</u> (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) _____				
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Carroll</u>				
PARENTS	10 NAME OF FATHER <u>David Foreman</u>			
	11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Md.</u>			
	12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Ellen Shoemaker</u>			
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) <u>Md.</u>				
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>Mrs. Chas. A. Foreman</u> (Address) <u>Taneytown, Md.</u>				
15 Filed <u>May 5, 1931</u> <u>Mary B. With</u> Registrar				
MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH				
16 DATE OF DEATH <u>May 2, 1931</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)				
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from <u>Jan 5, 1931</u> to <u>May 2, 1931</u> , that I last saw him alive on <u>May 2, 1931</u> , and that death occurred on the date stated above, at _____ m. The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows: <u>Carcinoma</u> (Duration) <u>indefinite</u> Contributory _____ Secondary _____ (Signed) <u>F. Lewis Weber</u> M.D. <u>May 4, 1931</u> (Address) <u>Union Mills, Pa.</u> *State the Disease Causing death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.				
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents) At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____ Former or usual residence _____				
19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Reformed Taneytown, Md.</u>				DATE OF BURIAL <u>May 5, 1931</u>
20 UNDERTAKER <u>C.O. FUSS &amp; SON</u>				ADDRESS <u>Taneytown, MD</u>

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

(No.)

## 2 FULL NAME

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

St. Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

7 AGE

If LESS than  
1 day 8 hrs.  
yrs. mos. ds. or 5 min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

10 NAME OF FATHER

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or Country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

15 Filed

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

that I last saw him alive on

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed) M. D.

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Carroll

Village or City Hampstead (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

2 FULL NAME Mary F. Grogg

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Single  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH 11 / 30 / 1930  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 6 yrs. 6 mos. — ds. or — min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work None  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Edgar Grogg

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Hampstead Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER  Helen Wink

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Hampstead Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mrs Edgar Grogg

(Address) Hampstead Md

15 Filed 5-30 1931 Irvin S. Leister  
Registrar

05708 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 77

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Hampstead Md. 1931  
(Month) 30 (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from May 30, 1931 to May 30, 1931

that I found her dead about 6 A.M.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
Measles

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. 3 ds.

Contributory Secondary Pneumonia (Probably)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Duration) Unknown ds.

(Signed) Edgar M. Bush M. D.

5/30/1931 (Address) Hampstead Md

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Hampstead Md

DATE OF BURIAL May 31, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Edw. G. Dighton

ADDRESS Hampstead

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County Carroll

Maryland Tuberculosis Sanatorium

Colored Branch

Village or City Henryton, Md (No. ....)

05709  
(23)  
STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 74

St. .... Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

<sup>2</sup> FULL NAME Lester Gross

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE Colored 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb., 12, 1912  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 19 yrs. 3 mos. 13 ds. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Laborer  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) .....

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Edward Gross

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Virginia

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Novella Ross

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Virginia

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

15 Filed 5/25/31 192 Deputy Local Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May, 25, 1931, 192  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from May 1, 1931 192 to May 25, 1931, 192

that I last saw him alive on May 25, 1931, 192

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 1.50 A m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Pulmonary Tuberculosis

(Duration) 0 yrs. 10 mos. 0 ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed) Thos. E. Quinn M. D.

5/25/31 192 (Address) Henryton, Md.

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 0 yrs. 0 mos. 25 ds. In the State 19 yrs. 3 mos. 13 ds.

Where was disease contracted, ?????? if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence 2128 Division St., Balto., Md

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Mt. Auburn Cem. May 27, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

J. E. Nelson 6303 Brewster St

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of . . . . . (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Droopy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicæmia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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<sup>1</sup> PLACE OF DEATH

County Carroll

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 74

Village or City Sykesville (No. Springfield State Hospital)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

<sup>2</sup> FULL NAME John Hunter

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Widowed

6 DATE OF BIRTH Unk. Unk. 1876  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 54 yrs. Unk mos. Unk ds. or Unk min. ?  
If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Unknown  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Unknown

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Unknown

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Unknown

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Unknown

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) S. S. Hosp. Records  
(Address) S. S. Hosp. Sykesville, Md

15 Filed May 12 1931 Chas. Green  
Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 11, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from April 30, 1931 to May 11, 1931.

that I last saw him alive on May 11, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 11:50 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Organic Pneumonia  
(Duration) \_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_ mos. 3 ds.

Contributory Organic Brain Disease  
Secondary (Duration) 10 yrs. \_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) John L. Wetmore M. D.  
May 11, 1931 (Address) S. S.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_ mos. 11 ds. In the State 17 yrs. \_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence Frontburg, Alleg. Co., Md

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Frontburg Md DATE OF BURIAL May 12, 1931

20. UNDERTAKER Wesley Jones ADDRESS Sykesville Md.

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Carroll

Village or City

Sykesville

Registration Dist. No.

No. Springfield State Hospital

St. Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

3 yrs.

11 mos.

8 ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

William Haines

(a) Residence: No.

2336 Loretta Ave

St.

Ward.

Baltimore, Md

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Male

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

White

## 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Widowed

## 5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of

Unknown.

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

February 12<sup>th</sup> 1876

## 7. AGE

Years

55

Months

3

Days

18

If LESS than

1 day, ---- hrs. or ---- min.

## OCCUPATION

## 8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Lineman

## 9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

Postal Telegraph Company.

## 10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

June 1926

## 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

18

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

Unknown

(State or country)

Howard Co. Md

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

William Haines

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

Unknown.

(State or country)

Md

## MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Unknown

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

Unknown

(State or country)

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Springfield State Hospital, (Records)  
Sykesville, Md.

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

St. John's Episcopal Ch.

Date

June 3, 1931

## 19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Harry H. Witke  
4101 Edmond Ave

## 20. FILED

May 30, 31 Harry H. Witke

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

May

30<sup>th</sup>

(Month)

(Day)

1931

(Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

June 29<sup>th</sup>

1931, to

May 30<sup>th</sup>

1931

I last saw him alive on

May 30<sup>th</sup>

1931

; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 1:15 P. m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Chronic Interstitial Nephritis

Date of onset

1927

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Chronic Myocarditis

1927

Name of operation

None

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis? Laboratory &amp; Physical Was there an autopsy? No

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

No

If so, specify

(Signed)

John Norfolk Morris

M. D.

(Address) (S. J. N.) Sykesville, Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

*1915*

*1921*

*July 5, 1927*

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*1 week ago*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollVillage or City Alexia (No. 46 ✓) St.; WardSTATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 75

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Sarah J. Henry

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)6 DATE OF BIRTH May (Month) 26 (Day) 1899 (Year)7 AGE 72 yrs. 0 mos. 4 ds. If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_ hrs. OR \_\_\_\_ min. ?8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work House Work  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Penna10 NAME OF FATHER Andrew W. Hetrick11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Penna12 MOTHER NAME OF MOTHER Leah C Spangler13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Penna

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) John A. Henry  
(Address) Alexia Md.15 Filed May 31, 1931 Mrs. Dr. R. S. Denner  
REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 30<sup>th</sup>, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Sept 1, 1931, to May 20, 1931, that I last saw her alive on May 30, 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6 P m.The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:  
Carcinoma of StomachContributory Carcinoma of Liver  
(Duration) 1 yrs. 6 mos. 6 ds.  
(Signed) Wm S Denner, M. D.  
5/31, 1931 (Address) Manchester Md

\*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State, \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.  
Where was disease contracted; If not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Stilling York Co Pa. DATE OF BURIAL 6/2, 193120 UNDERTAKER W L F Bergman ADDRESS Manchester Md.

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

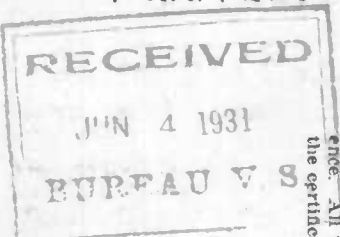
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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollVillage or City SykesvilleRegistration Dist. No. 74No. Springfield Hospital St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 3 yrs. 8 mos. 16 ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

John R. Huffington(a) Residence No. Salisbury Md. St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward. \_\_\_\_\_

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Male

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

White

## 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Single5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of \_\_\_\_\_

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

September 30, 1907

## 7. AGE

Years

23

Months

7

Days

3If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

## OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.Farmer9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)May  
192711. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation2 1/2

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Shenandoah Co. Md.

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

Jonathon Huffington

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Md.

## MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Rosie C. Parker

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Md.

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Springfield State Hospital (Records)  
Sykesville Md.

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Salisbury Md.

Date

May 6, 1931

## 19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Wheeler & Son Inc.  
Sykesville Md.

## 20. FILED

Date

May 4, 1931

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

May3<sup>rd</sup>

1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

## 22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

December 29<sup>th</sup>, 1927, to May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1931I last saw him alive on May 2<sup>nd</sup>, 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 9:45 A. M.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Chronic Myocarditis

Date of onset

1928

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis? Physical Signs & Symptoms Was there an autopsy? No

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? No Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify

(Signed) John Norfolk Morris M. D.(Address) 1-1-11 Sykesville Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollSTATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 76Village or City Carrollton (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME George Edward Hughes

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Male

4 COLOR OR RACE

White

5 SINGLE,

MARRIED,

WIDOWED,

OR DIVORCED

(Write the word)

Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Feb 16, 1862  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

69 yrs. 3 mos. 28 ds. or min.?If LESS than  
1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

Carpenter

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER

Samuel Hughes

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Sarah Lockard

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Charles Hughes

(Address)

Westminster Md

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

May 14, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

Jan 1, 1931, to May 17, 1931.that I last saw him alive on May 13th, 1931.and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7:00 a.m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:arteriosclerotic angina pectoris  
5th attack.  
(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.Contributory  
Secondaryinitial disease & hypertrophy.  
(Duration) 20 yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.(Signed) Wm. H. L. L. M. D.May 16, 1931. (Address) Westminster Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Bethel5/19, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

H. Bankard & Son Westminster



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**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebro-spinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc., of . . . . .* (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles (disease causing death), 29 ds.; Bronchopneumonia (secondary), 10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptom-atic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicæmia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by orphoid acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, legions*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING  
WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK--THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD.

N. B.--Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY, PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County CarrollMaryland Tuberculosis Sanatorium  
Henryton, Md., Colored Branch

Village or City (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 74

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Josephine Johnson

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Colored 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Single  
(Write the word)6 DATE OF BIRTH Oct., 3, 1904, 1  
(Month) (Day) (Year)7 AGE 26 yrs. 7 mos. 18 ds. or 1 day 1 hrs. 1 min.?  
If LESS than8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Domestic  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland10 NAME OF FATHER Philip Johnson11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Virginia12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Lottie Martin13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Virginia

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address) Henryton, Maryland15 Filed 5/21/31 192 1  
Deputy Local Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 21, 1931, 192  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 7/16/30 to 5/21/31, 192  
that I last saw him alive on May 21, 1931, 192and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 3.40 AM m.The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
Pulmonary Tuberculosis(Duration) 1 yrs. 8 mos. 21 ds.Contributory  
Secondary(Signed) Thos. E. E. E. M. D.  
5/21/31 192 (Address) Henryton, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 0 yrs. 10 mos. 5 ds. In the State 26 yrs. 7 mos. 18 ds.Where was disease contracted Baltimore, Md.  
if not at place of death?Former or usual residence 306 E. 20<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> St., Balto., Md.19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL St. Mary's Church DATE OF BURIAL May 23, 193120 UNDERTAKER S. H. Chase son ADDRESS 638 9<sup>th</sup> Ave.

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County Carroll

Md. Tuberculosis Sanatorium,  
(Colored Branch)

Village or City Henryton (No. ....)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 74

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

<sup>2</sup> FULL NAME Howard Larkins,

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male  
4 COLOR OR RACE Colored  
5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Single  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH May 3, 1931.  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 47 yrs. 2 mos. 25 ds. or LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Butcher.  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) -----

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland.

10 NAME OF FATHER Pedro Larkins

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Anna Frances

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) John E. O'Neill

(Address) Henryton

15 Filed 5/3/31. 192 Dep. Local Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 3, 1931. 192  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Mch 23, 1931 192 to May 3, 1931 192, that I last saw him alive on May 3, 1931 192, at 6:30 PM m.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6:30 PM m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Pulmonary Tuberculosis

(Duration) 0 yrs. 5 mos. 0 ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed) John E. O'Neill M. D.  
5/3/31. 192 (Address) Henryton

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

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Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? ?????

Former or usual residence Frederick, Md.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Frederick, Md. DATE OF BURIAL May 6, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Albert V. Dixon ADDRESS Frederick

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CarpenterVillage or City SykesvilleRegistration Dist. No. 74No. Springfield State Hospital

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 1 yrs. 11 mos. 11 ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? 1 yrs. 11 mos. 11 ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. 249 Maple Avenue St. Laborer Park, Md.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Female

4. COLOR OR RACE

White5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)widowed5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE ofHusband

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

May 5, 1859

7. AGE

Years

72

Months

0

Days

6If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.None9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Maryland

FATHER

13. NAME

Nelson Lloyd Cooper14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Maryland

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Elizabeth A. Thomas16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Maryland

17. INFORMANT

(Address) Hospital Records  
4th Avenue, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place Washington D.C. Date May 14, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address) W. N. Chambers  
Washington D.C.

20. FILED

May 14, 1931 Harry W. Reed  
Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

(Month) May (Day) 11 (Year) 1931

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Jan. 26, 1931 to May 11, 1931Last saw her alive on May 11, 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 3:00 P. m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance  
were as follows:Cerebral Arteriosclerosis 1921

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance?

Cerebral Hemorrhage 2 da.

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? no Date of injury 19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no

If so, specify

(Signed) May 14, 1931 M. D.(Address) 4th Avenue, Md.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

V. No. 1

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

*1915*

*1921*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*1 week ago*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING  
WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK--THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll05718  
(121)  
STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 74Village or City Sykesville (No. Springfield State Hospital Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)  
2 FULL NAME Annie Mc Gowan

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single6 DATE OF BIRTH June 4, 1894  
(Month) (Day) (Year)7 AGE 36 yrs. 11 mos. 22 ds. or LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_ min.?8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work None  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland10 NAME OF FATHER John Mc Gowan11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Penna12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary Paden13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Penna

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Hospital Records(Address) S. S. Hosp. Sykesville, Md15 Filed May 27 1931 Harry Mace  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 26, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept. 12, 1931 to May 26, 1931, that I last saw her alive on May 26, 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7:25 P m.The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
Chorea cystica & Appendicitis (chronic)  
Post-operative shock - 24 hr.  
(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. 13 ds.Contributory  
Secondary Epilepsy  
(Duration) 18 yrs. 8 mos. 8 ds.(Signed) John L. Withered M. D.  
May 26, 1931 (Address) S. S. Hosp. Sykesville, Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 36 yrs. 11 mos. 22 ds. In the State 36 yrs. 11 mos. 22 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence 36 Admiral Ave., Dundalk, Md19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Springfield Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL May 30, 193120 UNDERTAKER Wm. Son Inc Sykesville ADDRESS

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

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JUN 4 1901

BUREAU V. B.

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

65719

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Carroll

Village or City

Manchester

No.

Registration Dist. No. 75

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Samuel Miller

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Male

4. COLOR OR RACE

White

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Widowed

5e. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

Florence Miller

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, end year)

Feb 13 - 1847

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

84

3

17

1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Farmer

9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)

1905

11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Pennia

FATHER

13. NAME

Henry Miller

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Unknown

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Mary M. Bricker

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Unknown

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Geo. E. Miller  
Manchester, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Manchester

Date

June 3<sup>rd</sup>, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Jacob Wink's Sons  
Manchester, Md.

20. FILED

June 2, 1931

M.D.

P. F. Decker

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

May

30

1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

May 30

1931

to

19

I last saw him alive on May 30, 1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 8 P. M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Heat Stroke

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of injury

Where did injury occur? (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

P. F. Decker

M. D.

(Address)

Manchester

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

No. 1

T. N.

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# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County CarrollVillage or City Sykesville (No. \_\_\_\_\_)STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 74

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Basil Crawford Muller

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb 6 1873  
(Month) (Day) (Year)7 AGE 58 yrs. 3 mos. 19 ds. If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_ min.?8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work RR Laborer  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland10 NAME OF FATHER Basil F. Muller11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Marcella V. Young13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mrs Elsie V. Muller(Address) 1st Ave. Md.15 Filed May 26 1931 Harry Green  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 25 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from May 25 1931 to May 25 1931that I last saw him alive on May 25 1931and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6:50 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Sudden  
Heart CollapseContributory (Duration) yrs. mos. ds. Probably Angina Pectoris  
Secondary(Signed) Agnes B. Spruill M. D.  
May 26 1931 (Address) Sykesville Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

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Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL One Grove Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL May 28 193120 UNDERTAKER C. M. Walby ADDRESS Hamfield Md.

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Carroll

Village or City

Uniontown

(No.)

2 FULL NAME

Mrs Clara B. Myers

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

F

4 COLOR OR RACE

W

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

married

6 DATE OF BIRTH

March 18, 1874

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE

57 yrs. 2 mos. 1 da.

If LESS than

1 day hrs.

or min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or  
particular kind of work

Housewife

(b) General nature of industry  
business, or establishment in  
which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Carroll Co.

10 NAME OF  
FATHER

Wm Hiltnerbride

11 BIRTHPLACE

OF FATHER  
(State or country)

Ind

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER

Rebecca Dayhoff

13 BIRTHPLACE

OF MOTHER  
(State or Country)

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14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

D. Harvey Myers

(Address)

Union Bridge R.R.

15

Filed May 20 1923 Margaret R. Engler

Registrar

05721

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 71

St.: Ward:

(If death occurred in  
a hospital or institution,  
give its NAME in-  
stead of street and  
number.)

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

5 19, 1921

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

1-6-1929 to 5-19-1921

that I last saw him alive on 5-19-1921

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 5:45 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Carcinoma Pylorus

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed)

T. H. Hagg

M. D.

5-20-1921 (Address) Union Bridge R.R.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from  
Violent Causes, state (1) Means of injury and (2) Whether  
Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Trans-  
ients or Recent Residents)At place  
of death yrs. mos. ds.In the  
State yrs. mos. ds.Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?Former or  
usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Baus

May 22, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

O. D. Sussman

Taneytown, Ind

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 16 W. Saratoga St., Balto., Requesting V. S. No. 1.

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JUN 5 1931  
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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 81

Village or City Linwood (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Robert E. Lee Myers

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb 6 1864  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 67 yrs. 3 mos. 9 ds. or min. If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Retired  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) farmer

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Fredrick Co

10 NAME OF FATHER Jessie Myers

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Ellen Wolf

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Emma J. Myers  
(Address) Linwood Md

15 Filed May 16, 1931 Pickens Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 15<sup>th</sup> 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from August 25<sup>th</sup> 1930 to May 15<sup>th</sup> 1931, that I last saw him alive on May 15<sup>th</sup> 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9<sup>12</sup> A. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
Carcinoma of Tongue  
(Upper middle third)  
(Duration) 1 yrs. 6 mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed) Arthur C. Smith M. D.  
May 16, 1931 (Address) New Windsor Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in death from Violent Cause, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Winters Cemetery DATE OF BURIAL May 18 1931

20 UNDERTAKER D. D. Hartley & Son ADDRESS New Windsor Md

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

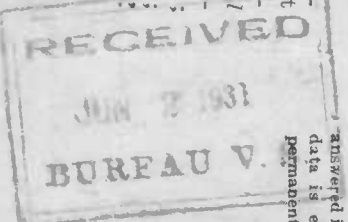
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**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: (*cardiomyoid fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum, etc.*, *Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc.*, of . . . . . (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Muscle; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Muscles* (disease causing death), *29 ds.; Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anæmia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicæmia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbonic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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<sup>1</sup> PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll

Village or City Sykesville (No. Springfield State Hospital)

2 FULL NAME Ida Verleuda North

05723  
131  
STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 74  
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Widow

6 DATE OF BIRTH October 31, 1886  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 74 yrs. 6 mos. 9 ds. or 9 min.?  
If LESS than 1 day

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housework  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Richard Fowler

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Amanda C. Parsons

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Hospital Records

(Address) S. S. Hosp., Sykesville, Md.

15 Filed May 9, 1931 Chas. W. Green  
Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 9, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from April 23, 1931 to May 9, 1931, that I last saw him alive on May 9, 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 11<sup>05</sup> A.M.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

General Arterio Sclerosis  
(Duration) 4 yrs. 4 mos. 4 ds.  
Contributory Secondary Chronic Interstitial Nephritis  
(Duration) unknown ds.  
(Signed) John L. Wilford M. D.  
May 9, 1931 (Address) S. S. Hosp., Sykesville

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 4 yrs. 4 mos. 16 ds. In the State 74 yrs. 6 mos. 9 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence Laurel, Md.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Glenwood Cem. DATE OF BURIAL May 12, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Warner C. Pumphrey ADDRESS Rockville Md.

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**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebro-spinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*, *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollVillage or City Westminster No. Liberty2 FULL NAME Sarah C. RobertsonSTATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 76

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) widowed

6 DATE OF BIRTH April 10, 1851  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 80 yrs. - 25 mos. 25 ds. or min.?

IF LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work none  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER William Greenbome

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Margaret Cook

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Clinton Cook(Address) Westminster md

15 Filed 5/3 1931 H. Woodburn Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 5<sup>th</sup>, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended the deceased from about 5 p.m. 1923 to May 5<sup>th</sup>, 1931, that I last saw her alive on May 5<sup>th</sup>, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7 P. m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Cerebral Hemorrhage

Contributory  
Secondary

several hours  
(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Banister's disease

(Signed) C. L. Billingsley M. D.  
5/7 1931, (Address) Westminster

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

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Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Kniders5/8, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

H. Bankard & sonWestminster



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JUN 4 1931

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

05725

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Carroll  
Village or City SykesvilleRegistration Dist. No. 74  
St. Springfield State Hospital WardLength of residence in city or town where death occurred 1 yrs. 3 mos. 8 ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.2. FULL NAME Charles E. Roby(a) Residence: No. 1432 Hawser St. Baltimore Md  
(Usual place of abode) Ward. Baltimore Md  
If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Male 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) Single5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of \_\_\_\_\_6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) October 30<sup>th</sup> 18997. AGE Years 31 Months 7 Days - If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BDOKEEPER, etc. Truck Driver

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) March 192911. Total time (years) spent in this occupation 1012. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Unknown  
(State or country) Md.13. NAME Charles Roby14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Unknown  
(State or country) Md15. MAIDEN NAME Veronica Wrspruch16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Unknown  
(State or country) Md17. INFORMANT Springfield State Hospital (Records)  
(Address) Sykesville Md18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Baltimore Md  
Place Baltimore Md Date June 2, 193119. UNDERTAKER A. Howard Evans  
(Address) Baltimore Md20. FILED May 30, 1931 Chas. E. Roby  
Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH May 30<sup>th</sup> 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from February 26<sup>th</sup>, 1930, to May 30<sup>th</sup>, 1931I last saw him alive on May 30<sup>th</sup>, 1931; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 10-36A.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Pulmonary Tuberculosis

Date of onset

unk.  
Reported  
May  
27<sup>th</sup>  
1931.

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Chronic Myocarditis1930Name of operation None Date of \_\_\_\_\_  
What test confirmed diagnosis? Laboratory & Physical Was there an autopsy? No

23. If death was due to external causes (VIDLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)  
Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) John Norfolk Morris M. D.  
(Address) (S.S.H.) Sykesville, Md.

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V. S. No. 1

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# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arteriosclerosis

Chronic interstitial nephritis

Cerebral hemorrhage

Date of onset

1915

1921

July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones

May 1, 1923

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy

Run over by street car

Peritonitis

Date of onset

1 week ago

1 week ago

3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis

1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollSTATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 76Village or City Westminster (No. Perm. ave St. Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Marcella Eugene Schaeffer

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Female

4 COLOR OR RACE

White

5 SINGLE,

MARRIED, married

WIDOWED,

OR DIVORCED

(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Feb 23, 1853

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE

79 yrs. 2 mos. 23 ds. or min.?If LESS than  
1 day.....hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or

particular kind of work House wife(b) General nature of industry  
business, or establishment in  
which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Maryland10 NAME OF  
FATHERJoseph Dietloff11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER

(State or country)

Maryland12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHERMary Ann Warefield13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mrs Luther Weimert(Address) Westminster Md

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Filed 23 1933

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

1923  
(Month) May (Day) 21 (Year) 193117 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from  
May 20 1931 to May 21 1931that I last saw her alive on May 21 1931and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 11:30 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Broncho Pneumonia

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Henry Stewart M. D.May 23 1933 (Address) Westminster Md\*State the disease causing death, or, in deaths from  
Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether  
Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Trans-  
ients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?Former or  
usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Kniders5/24, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

H Bankard & sonWestminster Md

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 16 W. Saratoga St., Balto., Requesting V. S. No. 1.

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<sup>1</sup> PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll

Md. Tuberculosis Sanatorium,  
Village or City Henryton (No. Colored Branch)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 74

<sup>2</sup> FULL NAME Alvinia Shambley

(if death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Colored 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Single  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Apr. 9, 1916.  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 15 yrs. I mos. 10 ds. or min.? If LESS than 1 day hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Scholar.  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \*\*\*\*\*

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) South Carolina

10 NAME OF FATHER Cleve Shambley

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Alabama.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Octavia Washington,

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) South Carolina.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) John E. O'Neill

(Address) Henryton

15 Filed 5/19/31. 192 Dep. Local Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 19, 1931. 192  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17/29/31 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 5/19/31. 192 to 5/19/31. 192  
that I last saw her alive on 5/19/31/ 192

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7:20 P. M.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Pulmonary Tuberculosis

(Duration) 0 yrs. I mos. 0 ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed) John E. O'Neill, M. D.  
5/19/31. (Address) Henryton, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 0 yrs. 0 mos. 20 ds. In the State 15 yrs. I mos. 10 ds.

Where was disease contracted, ????  
if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence Baltimore, Md.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL St. Ambrose Cem. DATE OF BURIAL 5/22/31

20 UNDERTAKER Samuel T. Hensley ADDRESS 578

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1 PLACE OF DEATH			STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
County <u>Carroll</u>			Registration Dist. No. <u>81</u>	
Village or City <u>near Union Bridge</u> (No. _____, St.; _____ Ward)			(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)	
2 FULL NAME <u>Evan Thomas Smith</u>				
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS				
3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>Negro</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED <u>Married</u> (Write the word)		
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>Aug. 6, 1849</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)				
7 AGE <u>81</u> yrs. <u>10</u> mos. <u>17</u> ds. or <u>19</u> min. ? If LESS than 1 day... hrs.				
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>Merchand</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)				
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>				
PARENTS	10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Joseph Smith</u>			
	11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>			
	12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Harriet Brooks</u>			
	13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) <u>Md.</u>			
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>Lillie Smith</u> (Address) <u>Bark Hill, Md.</u>				
15 Filed <u>May 25 1931</u> <u>L. E. Ruff</u> Registrar				
MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH				
16 DATE OF DEATH <u>May 23, 1931</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)				
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from <u>June 20, 1931</u> to <u>May 23, 1931</u> that I last saw him alive on <u>May 23, 1931</u> and that death occurred on the date stated above, at <u>11 P.</u> m.				
The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows: <u>Abdominal Carcinoma</u> <u>Primary in descending colon. C. &amp; G. R.</u> <u>Advanced.</u> (Duration) <u>1</u> yrs. <u>4</u> mos. <u>—</u> ds. <u>Numerous secondary deposits throughout abdomen.</u> Contributory Secondary (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. (Signed) <u>H. F. Baer</u> M. D. <u>May 24 1931</u> (Address) <u>Union Bridge</u> State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.				
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents) At place of death yrs. _____ mos. _____ da. In the State, _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ da. Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Former or usual residence.				
19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL <u>Uniontown Hill</u> <u>5/27, 1931</u>				
20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS <u>H. B. Bankhead &amp; Son</u> <u>Westminster</u>				

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JUN 2-1931  
BUREAU V.S.

# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

05729

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Carroll

Village or City Rykesville

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

ys. 2 mos. 1 ds.

No. Springfield State Hospital St. 74 Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? 30 yrs. 1 mos. 1 ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

St. Baltimore Ward. Md.

If nonresident give city or town and State

### PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

#### 3. SEX

Male

#### 4. COLOR OR RACE

White

#### 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Married

#### 5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of

Unknown

#### 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

unk. unk. 1884

#### 7. AGE

Years

47

Months

Unknown

Days

Unknown

If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

#### OCCUPATION

#### 8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Shoemaker

#### 9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

#### 10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

Unknown 1928

#### 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

28 yrs.

#### 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

Russia

#### FATHER

#### 13. NAME

Samuel Snyder

#### 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

Russia

#### MOTHER

#### 15. MAIDEN NAME

Unknown

#### 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country)

Russia

#### 17. INFORMANT (Address)

Springfield State Hospital [Records]

#### 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place Baltimore Md. Date May 23, 31

#### 19. UNDERTAKER (Address)

Jack Lewis Baltimore Md.

#### 20. FILED

May 22, 31 Harry Meier

Registrar.

### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

#### 21. DATE OF DEATH

May (Month)

21 (Day)

1931 (Year)

#### 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

March 21<sup>st</sup> 1931 to May 21<sup>st</sup> 1931

I last saw him alive on May 21<sup>st</sup> 1931; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 8:45 P. m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Pulmonary Tuberculosis

Date of onset

Reported 3/21/31

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation none

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis? Physical Signs

Was there an autopsy? No

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? No Date of injury, 19

Where did injury occur? (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no

If so, specify

(Signed) John Norfolk Morris M. D.

(Address) (S. H.) Rykesville, Md.

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as *spinner, weaver, etc.*

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as *grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.*

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as *civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc.* Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as *carpenter, painter, machinist, etc.* Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a *salesman* and not a *clerk*.

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Carroll

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

76

Village or City

Westminster

(No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

David H. Stephan

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Male

4 COLOR OR RACE

White

5 SINGLE

MARRIED  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Jan.

13

1859

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE

72

yrs.

4

mos.

10

ds.

If LESS than

1 day hrs.

or min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

Farmer

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER

Henry Stephan

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Marie Snider

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

John Stephan

(Address)

Westminster Md.

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Filed

5/26/1931

1931

J. E. Woodward

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

May 25, 1931

(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

May 19, 1931 to May 25, 1931

that I last saw him alive on May 24, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 10:30 P. M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Chronic Interstitial Nephritis

(Duration) 5 yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory Secondary

Acute Cardiac

(Duration) 1 yr. mos. ds.

(Signed) Chas. R. Fouts, M. D.

May 26, 1931 (Address) Westminster Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds.

In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Baltimore Cem.

May 28, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

J. Bonkardson Westminster Md.

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 16 W. Saratoga St., Balto., Requesting V. S. No. 1.

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sorema*, etc., of . . . . . (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Insanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PERIPERAL septicaemia," "PERIPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

05731

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollVillage or City Manchester

No.

Registration Dist. No. 75

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Ellen M. Sterner

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Female

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

White

## 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Widowed

## 5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE ofAmmon Sterner

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

April 16<sup>th</sup> 1873

## 7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.

or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

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## 8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

House Wife

## 9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

## 10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

## 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Pennia.,

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

John Henry

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Pennia.,

## MOTHER

## 15. MAIEN NAME

Juliet Black

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Pennia.,

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Mrs. John Black  
Manchester Ind.

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

Lineboro. Ind. May 27<sup>th</sup> 1931

## 19. UNOERTAKER

(Address)

Jacob Wink's Sons  
Manchester Ind.

## 20. FILED

May 26<sup>th</sup> 1931

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

5  
(Month)24  
(Day)1931  
(Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

April 1<sup>st</sup> 1930, to May 24<sup>th</sup> 1931I last saw him alive on May 22<sup>nd</sup> 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the data stated above, at 6 a. m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance were as follows:

Carbino of Sterner

Date of onset

1929

## Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis? yesWas there an autopsy? NO

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

0, 1931

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury

Nature of Injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? NO

If so, specify

(Signed)

H. M. Resch

M. D.

(Address) H. M. Resch Ind

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
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- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>5 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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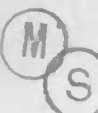
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<sup>1</sup> PLACE OF DEATH  
County Carroll

05732  
STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH  
Registration Dist. No. 71

Village or City Uniontown (No. 3) St.        Ward        (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)  
<sup>2</sup>FULL NAME George Talbot

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single  
6 DATE OF BIRTH May 15<sup>th</sup>, 1921  
(Month) (Day) (Year)  
7 AGE 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> - birth If LESS than 1 day... hrs. ... yrs. ... mos. ... ds. or ... min.?

OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work none  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) none

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Carroll Co. Md.  
PARENTS  
10 NAME OF FATHER Samuel Talbot  
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland  
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Clara Endara Plonka  
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE  
(Informant) Samuel Talbot  
(Address) New Windsor Md.

15 Filed May 20 1921 Registrar Margaret R. Engle

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH May 15<sup>th</sup>, 1921  
(Month) (Day) (Year)  
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from May 15<sup>th</sup> 1921 to May 15<sup>th</sup> 1921, that I last saw him alive on May 15<sup>th</sup> 1921, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 1<sup>30</sup> a. m. The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
Still - birth

(Duration)        yrs.        mos.        ds.

Contributory Secondary  
(Duration)        yrs.        mos.        ds.  
(Signed) W. Stetson M. D.  
May 15<sup>th</sup> 1921 (Address) New Windsor, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)  
At place of death        yrs.        mos.        ds. In the State        yrs.        mos.        ds.  
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?  
Former or usual residence       

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Church of God DATE OF BURIAL May 16 1921

20 UNDERTAKER C. D. Finson Son ADDRESS Daneytown

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

05733

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Carroll Registration Dist. No. 75  
 Village or City Manchester No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Ellen G. Wentz  
 (a) Residence: No. M St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

### PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Widowed</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced, HUSBAND or (or) WIFE of <u>Henry Wentz</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>Dec. 8, 1859</u>		
7. AGE Years <u>71</u>	Months <u>5</u>	Days <u>21</u>
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>Housewife</u>		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (State or country) Maryland

13. NAME Paul Reinicke

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (State or country) Maryland

15. MAIDEN NAME unknown

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) \_\_\_\_\_  
 (State or country) unknown

17. INFORMANT Mrs. Harvey Wentz  
 (Address) Manchester

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
 Place Hanover, Pa. Date May 31, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER Jacob Wink's Sons  
 (Address) Manchester Md.

20. FILED May 30, 1931 W. R. S. Deemer  
 Registrar.

### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

May 29, 1931  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from Apr 1, 1931, to May 29, 1931.

I last saw her alive on May 27, 1931; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 7 P m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance were as follows:  
Pulmonary Tuberculosis

Date of onset

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Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)  
 Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) W. R. S. Deemer M. D.

(Address) Manchester, Md.

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

05731

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Carroll Registration Dist. No. 78  
 Village or City near Dennings, P.F.D. Westminster, Md. St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME Pauline A. Wetzel

(a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

### PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>married</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND or (or) WIFE of <u>Clinton Wetzel</u>		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>1902-5-23</u>		
7. AGE <u>29</u>	Years <u>0</u>	Months <u>5</u>
Days <u>6</u>		If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>Housewife</u>		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month end year)		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

OCCUPATION	12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
	13. NAME <u>Jesse A. Flickinger</u>
FATHER	14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
	15. MAIDEN NAME <u>Lina M. King</u>
MOTHER	16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Maryland</u>
	17. INFORMANT <u>Clinton Wetzel</u> (Address) <u>P.F.D. Westminster, Md.</u>
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place <u>Greenwood County</u> Date <u>May 31, 1931</u>	
19. UNDERTAKER <u>E. M. Matz</u> (Address) <u>Winfield, Md.</u>	
20. FILED <u>May 30, 1931</u> <u>E. M. Farver</u> Local Registrar	

### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH May = 29 = 1931  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from Feb. 10 1931 to May 29 1931  
 I last saw h. alive on May 28 1931; death is said to have occurred on the data stated above, at 5 P.M.  
 The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:  
Pulmonary Tuberculosis Date of onset 1928

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_  
 What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:  
 Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_  
 Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify city or town, county and State)  
 Specify whether injury occurred In INDUSTRY, in HOME, or In PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_  
 Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no  
 If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Signed) Jesse J. March M. D.  
 (Address) New Windsor Md

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Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CarrollVillage or City SykesvilleLength of residence in city or town where death occurred 4 yrs. 8 mos. 22 ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.Registration Dist. No. 74No. Springfield State Hospital St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

2. FULL NAME Richard W. Illett

(a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_

(Usual place of abode)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

Prince Georges County, Md.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Male

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

White

## 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Widowed5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE ofUnknown

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

unk. unk. 1850

## 7. AGE

Years

80

Months

+

Days

+If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.Farmer9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)Unknown11. Total time (years)  
spent in this unknown  
occupation

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Charles County,  
Maryland

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

George W. Illett

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Md.

## MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Unknown

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Md.

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Springfield State Hospital (Records)  
Sykesville, Md.

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Waldorf Md.

Date

May 14, 31

## 19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Wells & Son Inc.  
Sykesville Md.

## 20. FILED

May 12, 1931Harry Wells

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

May11<sup>th</sup>1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

August 19<sup>th</sup> 1930 to May 11<sup>th</sup> 1931I last saw him alive on May 11<sup>th</sup> 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 7.28 P.m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Lobar Pneumonia

Date of onset

May 5<sup>th</sup>  
1931

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Cerebral Arteriosclerosis1926.Name of operation none

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis? Physical Signs Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? no Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no

If so, specify

(Signed) John Norfolk Morris M. D.(Address) (S.S.H.) Sykesville, Md.

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Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones May 1, 1923

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis 1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

# 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Carroll

Village or City Westminster (No. 920)

2 FULL NAME William H. Hunt

## STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 76

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

### PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX ml 4 COLOR OR RACE wh 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH 1/1/1921 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE about 70 yrs. 1 day 1 hrs. 1 min. If LESS than

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work La. tower (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Carroll Co

10 NAME OF FATHER John H. Hunt

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Carroll Co

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Unknown

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) "

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant Augustus Humbert) (Address) Westminster Md.

15 Filed 1/9/31 A. Woodward Registrar

### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH 5-8-1931 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 4-1-1931 to 5-8-1931

that I last saw him alive on 5-6-1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Myocardial degeneration

Contributory (Duration) many mos. 14 ds. Secondary Loss of consciousness

(Signed) W. C. Hunt M. D. 5-8-1931 (Address) Westminster

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL County Home Cem. DATE OF BURIAL May 9, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Banckard & Son ADDRESS Westminster Md.

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Carroll

WITHIN CORPORATE LIMITS OF

Village or City

Westminster

(131)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

76

St.

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

Clara Woodyard

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Female

4 COLOR OR RACE

Black

5 SINGLE,

MARRIED,

WIDOWED,

OR DIVORCED

(Write the word)

widow

6 DATE OF BIRTH

7-1-1877

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE

54 yrs. - mos. - ds.

If LESS than

1 day

hrs.

or min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

servant

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Maryland

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Elias Squinell

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

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Maryland

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Alice Black

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

Maryland

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(Informant)

Elias Squinell

(Address)

Westminster

15 Filed

7/16

1907

J. H. Woodson

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

5-16-1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

12-6-30 to 5-16-31

that I last saw him alive on 5-15-31

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8:30 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Myocarditis -  
Hypertension (Chronic)Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration)

5 yrs. - mos. - ds.

(Signed)

W. C. Smith

M. D.

(Address)

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In the

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DATE OF BURIAL

Western Chapel

5/17, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

H. B. Anbard + Son Westminster

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